

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: XANTHINE DERIVATIVES, THEIR PREPARATION, AND THEIR USE  
IN PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS

Via EFS

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**AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH RCE**

This is an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed on January 18, 2006  
for the above-identified application. Please amend this application as follows.

The claims are pages 4 to 19. Applicant's argument/remarks are page 20.